

REMARKS

By the foregoing amendment, the specification has been updated. Claims 1-4, 6, and 12-45 have been canceled without prejudice or disclaimer. Claims 5, 8, 11 and 46-48 are currently amended. New claims 49-85 are added. Support for the amendment to claims 8 and 46 (and all the added claims generally) can be found at col. 6, lines 49-62 of incorporated U.S. Patent No. 6,440,895 (the grandparent application) and incorporated U.S. Patents Nos. 5,534,328, 5,811,062 (col. 5, lines 1-9 and the figures); 5,611,214, 5,811,062 (col. 5, lines 1-9 and col. 10, line 63 – col. 11, line 19), and 6,192,596 (col. 3, lines 22-49). Additional support can be found in incorporated U.S. Patent No. 6,616,909, col. 5, lines 59-65 (claims 51, 81), col. 10, lines 14-15 (claims 52, 82), col. 10, lines 45-46 (claims 53, 83); incorporated U.S. Patent No. 6,192,596 col. 3, lines 22-49 (claim 54), col. 3, lines 22-49 (claim 77); incorporated U.S. Patent No. 5,811,062 col. 5, lines 1-9 and col. 10, line 63 – col. 11, line 17 (claim 56), col. 5, lines 1-9 (claims 73-74); laminated scheme from numerous incorporated patents and col. 7, line 37 of the incorporated grandparent application (claims 57, 76); incorporated U.S. Patents Nos. 5,534,328, 5,811,062 (Fig. 15), and 6,192,596 (claims 58, 59); incorporated grandparent application U.S. Patent No. 6,440,895 col. 2, lines 39-41 (claim 61), col. 4, lines 10-17, 60 (claims 62, 63), col. 4, lines 56-57 (claim 64), col. 5, lines 18-20 (claim 65), col. 7, line 37, ex. 1 (claim 66), col. 6, lines 5-8 (claim 67), col. 6, lines 60-62 (claim 70), col. 4, lines 10-60 (claims 69, 71-72, 84-85).

Conclusion

If the Examiner has any questions or would like to speak to Applicants' representative, the Examiner is encouraged to call Applicants' attorney at the number provided below.

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